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Re: New U.S. Patent Application  
DRIVE MECHANISM EMPLOYING ELECTROMECHANICAL TRANSDUCER  
AND METHOD FOR CONTROLLING THE DRIVE MECHANISM  
By: Ryuichi YOSHIDA, Junichi TANII, Yasuhiro OKAMOTO  
and Tomoyuki YUASA  
Attorney Docket: 15162/04260

Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing are the following papers relating to  
DRIVE MECHANISM EMPLOYING ELECTROMECHANICAL TRANSDUCER AND METHOD  
FOR CONTROLLING THE DRIVE MECHANISM, Ryuichi YOSHIDA, Junichi  
TANII, Yasuhiro OKAMOTO and Tomoyuki YUASA, inventors:

- (1) Specification (36 pages, including 13 claims and an abstract);
- (2) Unexecuted Declaration and Power of Attorney (9 pages);
- (3) Formal Drawings (11 sheets);

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- (4) Transmittal letter (1 page) with PrintEFS Patent Application Bibliographic Data (2 pages);
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- (6) Preliminary Amendment (3 pages), along with an Appendix (1 page).

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